

WEEK 4: GIVING OURSELVES TO GOD  
DAY 1: WE DO IT BECAUSE WE LOVE HIM

1. Yesterday I asked you to do something. If you were not sure you were born again, I asked you to go alone with God. I asked you to pray until you were sure.

From now on, our lessons are for those who know they are God's children. Perhaps you still do not know that you are born again. If you are not sure, please go and pray again. Do the things which you have learned in this book.

How can we be sure that we are born again? Answer by writing Romans 8:16.

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2. Find the verse in your Bible to see if you have written it right. This week we want to learn what it means to give ourselves to God. In one way, we give ourselves to God when we repent. We enter the way of Jesus. We believe Jesus and receive him as our Lord. After we are born again, we must keep on giving ourselves to God. This means to set apart ourselves, and all we have, for God to use.

We have learned that being born again brings a great change into our lives.

John 1:12

*Yet to all who received him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God.*

When we are born again, whose family do we enter?

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3. We enter God's family. When a child is born into a family, he loves his parents. He enjoys doing things for them. Quite often my little girl comes to me. She asks, Daddy, can I do anything to help you? This makes me happy.

When we are children of God, we love him. We want to do things for him. We want to set apart ourselves, and all we have, for God to use.

Do you think God wants to use us in his work?

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4. God wants to use us in his work. It makes him very happy when we love him and want to obey him. We must decide what kind of children we will be. We can be careless, lazy children, or we can be busy and helpful.

Romans 6:13

*Do not offer (set apart) the parts of your body to sin, as instruments of wickedness, but rather offer yourselves to God, as those who have been brought from death to life; and offer the parts of your body to him as instruments of righteousness.*

The New Life Testament says it this way:

*Do not give any part of your body for sinful use. Instead, give yourself to God as a living person who has been raised from the dead. Give every part of your body to God to do what is right.*

When we set apart ourselves and all we have for God to use, what are we doing?

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5. We are giving ourselves to God. Today we are learning how to do this.

Stop now and think about these words: **To give ourselves to God means to set apart ourselves, and all we have, for God to use.**

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6. We must decide to be willing children. We are not forced to give ourselves. We do it because we want to. David asked his people to give themselves and their possessions to the Lord.

1 Chronicles 29:5

*Now, who is willing to consecrate (to set apart) himself today to the LORD?*

What should we first set aside for the Lord?



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7. We should first set apart ourselves for God. We should not let Satan use our lives in any way. We should not use our lives to please ourselves. We should set apart ourselves and all we have for God to use.



The dishes and cups which we use for holy communion are set apart for God. They are given to God and kept for his use. They are not used for other things.

If someone asked to use the communion cups for drinking beer, why would we refuse?

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8. You can answer in different ways. You can say they are given to God. You can say they are set apart for his work. You can say they should not be used for other things.

We Christians should set ourselves apart for God to use. We should also give to God the things we have.

1 Chronicles 29:17

*All these things have I given willingly and with honest intent. And now I have seen with joy how willingly your people who are here have given to you.*

What else should we give to God?

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9. We should give God the things which we have. We should give him everything. This week we will see that we should give him our money, our time, and our families. We should set apart all of these things for him to use.

But we should not do this because we are forced to. A Christian gives to God because he wants to. He gives willingly. In the rest of this lesson let us see why a Christian should give himself willingly to God.

What does it mean to give ourselves to God?

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10. It means that we set apart ourselves and all we have for God to

use. It makes a Christian happy to do this. He does it willingly. This is because he is born again and has a new life. This new life is given by God. God is love, and he puts the spirit of love into our hearts. We give ourselves to God because we love him.

Which kind of child gives you more joy? Is it the one who obeys because he is forced to, or is it the one who obeys because he loves you?

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11. We are happy when our children obey because they love us. We should be like the children who obey because of love. We should give ourselves to God because we love him. God has done so many things for us. He sent his Son into the world to die for us.

Isaiah 53:5

*But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was upon him, and by his wounds we are healed.*

A certain man was asked to teach Sunday School. He refused because he would not be paid for teaching. Did he give himself willingly to God because he loved God?

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12. He did not give himself willingly because he did not love God. He would only work for God if he was paid.

What should make us want to give ourselves to God?

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13. Our love for God makes us want to give ourselves to him.

Think again about what we learned at the beginning of this lesson. What does it mean to give ourselves to God?

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14. It means to set apart ourselves and all we have for God to use.

There was a man in England who was a drunkard. His name was Billy Bray. His wife and children had little food and clothes. This was because he spent most of his money on beer. But one day he heard that the Lord Jesus could change him. He repented and was born again. As he thought of all God had done for him, he loved him more and more. He decided to give himself to God to do his work.

Why should we want to give ourselves to God?

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15. Because we love God we want to give ourselves to him. Billy Bray loved God. He felt sorry that he had wasted his money. He decided to put aside money to build prayer houses. He built these prayer houses in villages where there was no place to worship God. Billy Bray was a very happy Christian. He said that whenever he walked, one foot said "Hallelujah" and the other foot said, "Amen." He built many prayer houses. He led many people to Jesus.



Think about yourself now. Can you say that you have given yourself to God? Explain how you have done this.

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16. We will talk about this in class.

What does it mean to give ourselves to God?

Why should we want to give ourselves to God?

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17. Read 1 Corinthians 6:19 and 20. We will **memorize these two verses this week.**

1 Corinthians 6:19,20

*Do you not know that your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own; you were bought with a price. Therefore honor God with your body.*

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WEEK 4: GIVING OURSELVES TO GOD  
DAY 2: WE MUST GIVE OUR BODIES TO HIM

1. Yesterday we learned that God is happy when we give ourselves to him.

What does it mean to give ourselves to God?

Why should we want to give ourselves to God?

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2. To give ourselves to God means to set apart ourselves and all we have for him to use. Because we love God we want to give ourselves to him.

Now for the rest of this week, we will learn the different things which we can give. First, we should give him our bodies.

Why do you think we should give our bodies to God?

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3. You may answer, "So God can use them." The Bible says that God is a spirit.

John 4:24

*God is spirit, and his worshippers must worship in spirit and in truth.*

He does not live in a body. He needs our bodies to do his work. When Jesus was on earth, he had a body. He had a tongue to speak God's word. He had hands to heal the sick and feed the hungry. He had feet to take him where God wanted him to go.

But when Jesus went to heaven, he took his body with him. Now the Holy Spirit does God's work in the world. But the Holy Spirit came without a body. He is a spirit without a body and wants to use our bodies to do his work.

What did Jesus use to do God's work?

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4. Jesus used his body to do God's work. He set apart his body for the things which pleased God. Now God wants to use our bodies.

Today we want to learn that:

- 1) We must give our bodies to God.
- 2) God wants to work through our bodies.

What will we have to do so God can use our bodies?

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5. We will have to give our bodies to God. God made our bodies and He can use them. But he will not use them unless we give ourselves to him.

When Jesus was in this world he could be at only one place at a time. Now that the Holy Spirit is here, he can be at many places at one time. But he needs bodies through which he can do his work.

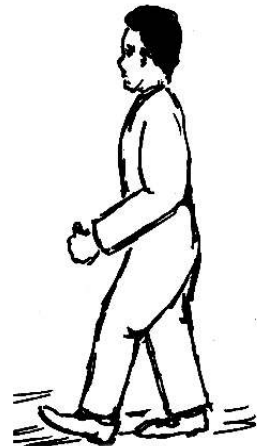
Who wants to work through our bodies?

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6. It is the Holy Spirit who wants to do this. The Holy Spirit is God. God wants us to give our bodies to him. Paul wrote to the Romans and asked them to give their bodies to God. Take your Bible now and read Romans 12:1.

*Therefore I urge you, brothers, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God - which is your spiritual worship.*

God wants us to give our bodies to him.  
What does God want to do through our bodies?



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7. God wants to work through our bodies.



But God will not work through bodies which are not holy. The Spirit of God is clean. He is holy. Christians must have clean bodies through which he can work. Paul told the Romans that they must not be like the people of this world. The Holy Spirit will not work through people who use their bodies to follow the ways of the world.

Should a Christian use his body for things like lying and adultery?

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8. Paul said Never! He wrote to the Christians at Corinth about this.

1 Corinthians 6:15,16

*Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ himself? Shall I then take the members of Christ and unite them with a prostitute? Never! Do you not know that he who unites himself with a prostitute is one with her in body? For it is said, "The two will be become one flesh."*

God wants to use our bodies to do good things. What must we do before God can use our bodies?

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9. We must give our bodies to him. If we want God to use our bodies, then we must keep our bodies holy. We must give him clean bodies through which he can work. We must stay away from things which make our bodies unclean. God cannot use us if we steal, fight, or if we cheat in buying and selling.

Remember what we must do with our bodies and what God wants to do with them:

- 1) We must give our bodies to God.
- 2) God wants to work through our bodies.

For what kinds of work do you think God wants to use our bodies?

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10. You could give many answers here. He may want us to preach or sing. He may want us to care for other people. But if our minds are dirty with anger or refusing to forgive, he cannot use us.

When we cook food we like to use clean pans. If we cook the food in a dirty pan, it will not taste good. It might even make us sick. If we try to work for God when we have sinful thoughts and actions, our work will not be good. It may even keep people from coming to Christ. That is why Paul wrote these words to the Corinthians.



1 Corinthians 6:19,20

*Do you not know that your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own; you were bought with a price. Therefore honor God with your body.*

(These are your memory verses. Are you memorizing them?)

The Holy Spirit lives in our bodies. What are we to do with our bodies?

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11. We are to give our bodies to God. We are to keep them clean. God wants to use our bodies. Paul explained to the Christians that they now belonged to God. Some of the Christians at Corinth wanted to keep their bodies for themselves. They thought they could go to church on Sunday and worship God with their lips. But they used their bodies for sinful things during the week. The Holy Spirit did not agree to that.

What does God want to do through our bodies?

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12. God wants to work through our bodies. If we want the Holy Spirit to work through us, we must give him our bodies. We must give him our whole body all the time. Some Christians want to give one part of their

body. But in the other parts they hide sinful things.

Can God use a body which is partly sinful?

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13. James wrote about this. He wrote that God cannot use us when we use our bodies for sinful things.

James 3:10-12

*Out of the same mouth come praise and cursing. My brothers, this should not be. Can both fresh water and salt water flow from the same spring? My brothers, can a fig tree bear olives, or a grapevine bear figs? Neither can a salt spring produce fresh water.*



We know that if there is any dirty water in a well, it spoils all the good water. In the same way, if part of our body is used for sinful things, the body is spoiled.

What does God want to do with our bodies?

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14. God wants to use our bodies. He wants to do his work through us.

Years ago a certain chief went to church. He heard the preacher tell how much God loved him. This made him want to give something to God. First he went to the front and put his axe on the table. Then he thought, I have not given very much to Jesus. So he went and put his blanket on the table.



Still he was not happy. Because he was a chief, he had a horse to ride. He wanted to give something big, so he decided to give his horse. Then he thought of something else. He thought how Jesus had come to die and save him. So this time he went to the front of the church and stood there. He said, I want to give myself to Jesus. Then he was full of joy.

We too can give ourselves and our bodies to God. If you have never done this, you can do it now. Bow your head where you are. Tell

God that you want to give your body to him. Tell him that with his help you will keep it clean for him.

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15. What must we give to God?

What does God want to do through our bodies?

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16. Remember to memorize your verses.

WEEK 4: GIVING OURSELVES TO GOD  
DAY 3: WE MUST GIVE OUR MONEY, OUR TIME, AND OUR FAMILIES

1. What must we give to God?

What does God want to do through our bodies?

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2. God wants to use our bodies for his work. That is why we should give our bodies to him. But there also are other things that we should give to him. Today we will learn three more things which we should give to God. Here they are:

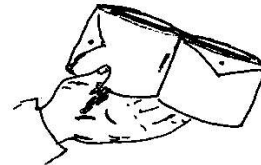
Our money	Our time	Our families
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When we give these things to God, he does not take them away from us. He shows us how to use them in his work. We should feel happy to give these things to God.

Why should we want to give ourselves and our possessions (all we have) to God?

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3. We want to do this because we love God. It is God who made all the things which we have. He could take them away from us. But he wants us to show our love by letting us give them back to him. When we love God a little, we give him little. But when we love him much, we give him much.



One of the things we can give to God is money. But we need money to buy food and clothes. We need money to take care of our houses and to pay school fees. We need money for many things.

Do you think it is wrong to use money for these things?

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4. It is not wrong to have money and to use it. But Paul wrote to Timothy that the **love of money** is very dangerous. We must not love money more than we love God.

1 Timothy 6:7-10

*For we brought nothing into the world, and we can take nothing out of it. But if we have food and clothing, we will be content with that. People who want to get rich fall into temptation and a trap and into many foolish and harmful desires that plunge men into ruin and destruction. For the love of **money** is a root of all kinds of evil. Some people, eager for money, have wandered from the faith and pierced themselves with many griefs.*

Read these verses again. What is the root of all kinds of evil?

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5. Love of money is the root of all kinds of evil. It causes people to go away from God. It brings sorrow. Remember, it is not money that does this, but the **love of money**. Those who want to be rich fall into temptation. Paul said that some have wandered from the faith because they loved money. I am sure you have seen Christians trying to become rich. They want much money. But soon they fall into Satan's trap. They love money more than they love God.

What should we not do with our money?

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6. We should not love our money. There is a government man in Africa who loves the Lord. He wrote to me saying that he had a very bad dream. He dreamed that he had a disease. The disease was love of money. He felt that the Holy Spirit was speaking to him and he wanted my advice. I wrote that he should ask God to show him how to use his money. Soon he wrote again. God had shown him what to do. He should give money each month to help a preacher in the area where he lived.

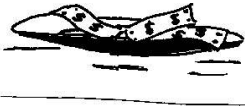
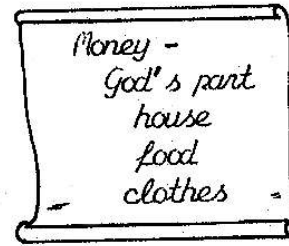
What is one thing we should give to God besides our bodies?

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7. We should give him our money. We should tell God that all the money we have is his. We should ask him how much we must use for ourselves. Then we should give the rest for God's work. Paul wrote to the Christians about this.

1 Corinthians 16:1,2

*Now about the collection for God's people: Do what I told the Galatian churches to do. On the first day of every week, each one of you should set aside a sum of money in keeping with his income, saving it up, so that when I come no collections will have to be made.*

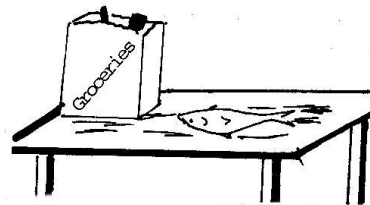


Remember, it is not wrong for a Christian to make money. He should make all he can. He should use some and save some. But he should give all that he can to God. It is not sin to prosper and make money. But if we prosper and do not give to God according to the way we prosper, we are in danger. We will fall into Satan's trap.

If a Christian prospers and makes money, what is the first thing he should do?

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8. He should first give it to God. He should remember that all he has belongs to God. He should ask God how the money is to be used. Then he should use it in that way.



Maybe you do not earn much money. You think you have nothing to give. Maybe you have poor people in the church or you have leaders who have needs. You can give them things from your garden, or of the fish you catch, or of the meat from the animals you hunt or kill. You may even be able to buy a bag of groceries for them.

We should also give our time to the Lord. If we really belong to God, we do not spend our time to please ourselves.

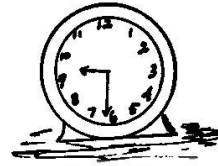
Besides our bodies and our time, what should we give to God?

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9. These are things we should give to God:

1) Our money	2) Our time	3) Our families
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God has chosen to do his work through us. Unless we give our time to God, he cannot do his work. We should use our time in the best way to serve God. We should put God's work first. When we look around us, we know that these are evil days. There are many evil books and pictures around. There are also many people who talk about evil things. A true Christian must not waste his time on these things.



Ephesians 5:15,16

*Be very careful, then, how you live - not as unwise but as wise, making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil.*

Do you think we have much time to do God's work before Jesus comes again?

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10. We do not know how soon Jesus will come. But there are many things which make us believe he is coming soon. There is still much work to do for God. There are many people in the world who do not know Jesus. The Holy Spirit wants to use us to tell the good news of salvation.

What can we give besides our bodies and our money to help with this work?

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11. We should give our time. We should give it to show our love. We should put God's work before our own work. This is what Jesus said we should do. If we give our money and our time as we should, we will also have the other things which we need.

Matthew 6:33

*But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.*



To whom should we give our time?

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12. We should give it to God.

Write **YES** beside the person who is giving his or her time to God. Write **No** beside the person who is NOT giving his or her time to God.

Joe works hard at his job. He does not sit around and drink coffee and talk with the other men when he is supposed to work. When he is off work he looks for people to whom he can witness. Instead of watching T.V. at night he studies the word of God, spends time with his family and prays for those to whom he has witnessed.

Mary says she loves God and wants to serve him. She watches the different stories on T.V. all afternoon and does not keep her house clean. She does not prepare good food for her family. At night she often goes to a bingo game and leaves her family alone.

John accepted Christ as his Saviour. He hangs around with the fellows and does not work to make a living.

Nancy washes the dishes, cleans the house and prepares good food for her family. As she takes care of baby John, she talks to him about God's love and sings a chorus to him. She may invite a neighbor lady in for coffee and talk to her about the things of God. She may go and visit someone who is sick.

To whom should we give our time?

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13. Joe and Nancy gave their time to God. Mary and John wasted their time. We should give our money, our time and our families to God.

Look at how Hannah gave her son to the Lord.

1 Samuel 1:27,28

*I prayed for this child, and the LORD has granted me what I asked of him. So now I give him to the LORD. For his whole life he will be given over to the LORD. And he worshipped the LORD there.*

Whom did Hannah give to the Lord?

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14. Hannah gave her son to the Lord. Joseph and Mary took Jesus to the temple to give him to the Lord.

Luke 2:22

*When the time of their purification (to be made pure) according to the Law of Moses had been completed, Joseph and Mary took him to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord.*



When Hannah and Joseph and Mary gave their children to the Lord, they taught them and brought them up so they would serve the Lord. When we give our families to the Lord, we teach and train them to love God. We love them and take good care of them.

What should we do with our children after we give them to the Lord?

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15. We love them and take care of them. We teach and train them to love the Lord. When we do our best for them we can trust God to take care of them.

Philippians 1:6

*. . . being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.*

What must we do as we trust God to take care of our children?

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16. We must do our best to look after them. Sometimes God calls us to serve him in a different area. If God calls us to work for him, he will help us to find ways to care for our families.

We are to give our money and our time to God. What should we do with our families?

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17. We should give our families to God. We should give ourselves and everything we have to God.

Jacob was a preacher who worked hard for God. He did farming to care for his family. He always gave some money from his harvest to the church. He also gave much time to the Lord's work. He prepared well for preaching, and he visited the people during the week.

But one day Jacob heard about people living in a settlement who did not have a preacher. They had not heard much about Christ. God called him to go to them. But Jacob thought of his children. He had one son whom he loved very much. He wanted his son to have much learning. He was afraid that if he went too far from the city, his son would not get good schooling. His son would not grow to be a man with much learning. Jacob did not give his son to God and he did not obey God's call.

We must give our money and our time to God. What is the third thing we must give him?

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18. We must give our families to God. We must willingly give him everything we have. Then we can trust him to care for us. God wants us to give willingly.

1 Chronicles 29:17

*All these things have I given willingly and with honest intent. And now I have seen with joy how willingly your people who are here have given to you.*

Think about yourself. What kind of a giver are you?

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19. Tomorrow we will see that God wants us to give him our wills.

What three things should we give to God besides our bodies and our wills?

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20. Write out the verses you memorized this week.

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DAY 4: WE MUST GIVE OUR WILL TO GOD

1. What three things should we give to God besides our bodies and our will?

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2. We should give our money, our time, and our families. There is still one more thing that we must give. And this is the most important of all. We must give our will. Our will is that part of us which decides everything. It decides what we do and say. It decides where we go. The will says Yes or No in every choice we have to make. We cannot be fully given to God unless we give our will to him.

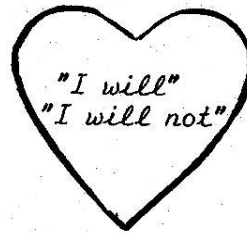
Do you think God wants our will?

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3. God wants to have our will. If he has our will, then he rules us completely. Our will is the part that rules us. If we want to give our bodies to God, our will must agree. If we want to give our money or time to God, our will must agree. If our will is given to God, then the Holy Spirit can use it to make the right decisions. Even Jesus did not keep his will for himself. Look at what he said.

John 6:38

*For I have come down from heaven not to do my will but to do the will of him who sent me.*



Luke 22:42

*Father, if you are willing, take this cup from me; yet not my will, but yours be done.*

Whose will did Jesus want most?

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4. Jesus wanted God's will most of all. Jesus would be taken by soldiers. He would be laughed at and beaten (hit). Then he would be killed on the cross. But he knew this was God's will. He gave up his own will. David also wanted God's will.

Psalm 40:8

*I desire to do your will, O my God; your law is within my heart.*

Psalm 143:10

*Teach me to do your will, for you are my God; may your good Spirit lead me on level ground.*

What should we do with our will?

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5. We should give it to God. We should choose his will. David was very happy when he chose God's will. Some people think that if we choose God's will, we will be sad. I used to think that too. When I was studying to be a missionary, I planned to marry a certain girl. But God asked me to leave that plan. He asked me to let him choose the right wife for me. I refused. I argued with the Holy Spirit for three months. I did not want to give up my will. I did not think God could find the best person for me.



At the end of three months, I chose God's will. I said, "Lord, I leave it with you to choose a wife for me." How glad I am now that I gave up my own plans! God has given me a wife who helps very much in God's work.

What is the most important thing we must give to God?

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6. The most important thing we must give is our will. Moses did not want to give his will to God. God told Moses to go to Egypt and bring out the people of Israel. Moses argued with God because his will was not given to him. Moses wanted to do his own will. He made excuses that he could not speak well. But God said he would help him.

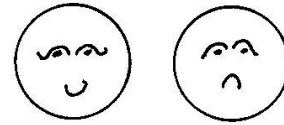
Exodus 4:12,13

Now go; "I will help you speak and will teach you what to say."  
But Moses said, "O Lord, please send someone else to do it."

If Moses had given his will to God, what would he have said?

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7. If Moses had given everything to God, he would have said, "Yes, Lord, I will go." But instead, Moses made excuses.



In the New Testament we read about another man whom God called. He was a rich young ruler. Take your Bible now and read Matthew 19:21,22.

David was happy when he did what God wanted him to do. But this young man was sad because he did not obey.

If we want real joy, what is the most important thing we must give to God?

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8. We must give our will to God. The rich young man decided to obey his own will and keep his riches. He did not do the will of God. His will made him decide against that which Jesus asked.

So we see that it is very important to give our will to God. Our decisions are made by our will. Let us see what happened to Paul's will.

Galatians 2:20

*I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.*

From this verse, what do you think happened to Paul's will?

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9. I am quite sure that Paul gave his will to God. He said that he was crucified with Christ. This meant that he had put his own desires on the cross. He had died to his own plans. He had given them up. He only wanted to do the will of God.

God is looking for Christians like that today. He wants men and women who will do what pleases him.

What is the most important thing we must give to God?

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10. The most important thing to give is our will. So we must give God our bodies, our money, our time, our families, and our will.

Now let us see how we should treat these things after we give them to God. We should take good care of them. We should keep them holy.

What do you think God wants to do with the things we give him?

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11. God wants to use them for his work. He wants us to look after them for him. We must keep them holy for him to use. We must not use them for our own pleasure. We have already seen that God lives in our bodies.

1 Corinthians 6:19,20

*Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own; you are bought at a price. Therefore honor God with your body.*

When a temptation comes to us, we must make a choice. We may be tempted to use ourselves for sinful or selfish acts. We must decide to keep ourselves holy for the Holy Spirit to use.

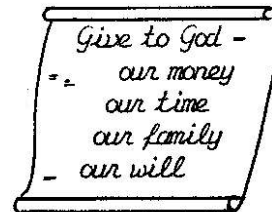
Can the Holy Spirit use us if there is sin in our lives?

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12. If we have sin in our lives, the Holy Spirit cannot use us. Sin in our lives will keep us from using our possessions in the right way. God wants our bodies, our money, our time, our families, and our will. But he wants them kept clean for his use.

2 Timothy 2:21

*If a man cleanses himself from the latter, he will be an instrument for noble purposes, made holy, useful to the Master and prepared to do any good work.*



The New Life Testament says it this way:

*If a man lives a clean life, he will be like a dish made of gold. He will be respected and set apart for good*



*use by the owner of the house.*

How should we treat the things which we have given to God?

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13. We should keep them holy. We should keep them clean. We should take good care of our bodies and our possessions. There are things which can harm the body. Doctors tell us that tobacco has many poisons. They say that thousands of people die every year because they smoke. Alcohol is harmful to the brain. It causes people to do evil things.

Why should we keep holy the things we have given to God?

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14. God wants to use the things we give him. We should take good care of them. A Christian must be careful about the things he wears. We are God's house, and we should honor God by the way we dress and act.

1 Timothy 2:8-10

*I want men everywhere to lift up holy hands in prayer, without anger or disputing (arguing). I also want women to dress modestly, with decency and propriety, not with braided hair or gold or pearls or expensive clothes, but with good deeds, appropriate for women who profess to worship God.*

1 Timothy 5:1,2

*Do not rebuke an older man harshly, but exhort him as if he were your father. Treat younger men as brothers, older women as mothers, and younger women as sisters, with absolute purity.*

How should we treat the things which we have given to God?

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15. We should keep these things holy. We should care for our bodies and show the beauty of Jesus. We should not dress to show off ourselves. Some women wear clothes which cause temptation to men. Some men do things which cause temptation to women. They are using God's house in an unholy way.

We should keep our money holy. We should use all of it in a way to bring glory to God. Mr. Colgate was a man who made soap to sell. At first he was very poor, but he always gave God one tenth of the money he received. After a time he became richer. This meant that he gave more money to God. He began to make so much money that he decided to give half of his money to God. At last he said, "Now I have enough money in the bank for myself. From now on, I will give all the money I make to God." He did this and much money was given for God's work.



God promises to bless those who give to him. But this should not be our reason for giving to him.

What should be our reason for wanting to give ourselves and our possessions to God?

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16. We give to God because we love him. We give him our bodies, our money, our time, and our families.

What is the most important thing we must give to God?

How should we treat the things we have given to God?

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WEEK 4: GIVING OURSELVES TO GOD  
DAY 5: REVIEW

We have come to the end of four weeks in this book.

We have learned many things about God. We have learned many things about ourselves. Today let us go over what we have learned.

Try to answer every question. When you have finished, you may look back in your book. But do not look back until you have answered every question. Then look to see if you have answered each question right. If you missed some questions, write the right answer above yours.

Questions from Week 1.

1. What are the two ways from which we can choose in life?
  - 1)
  - 2)
2. What does Satan use to deceive people so they will go his way?
3. Where does the way of Satan end?
4. What does Jesus promise to those who take his way?
5. Whom does Jesus call to take his way?
6. As we repent, what two things must we do to choose the way of Jesus?
  - 1)
  - 2)
7. Write out Matthew 7:13 and 14.

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Questions from Week 2.

8. From what part of us does sin come?
9. What does God want everyone to do because of sin?
10. What are the three parts of repenting?

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Write Yes beside the person who is really sorry.

Write No beside the one who is not really sorry.

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_ I repent because the church people say I must repent.
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_ I repent because I have made God sad.

12. How can we help ourselves leave sin?
13. Can we repent by ourselves?

Who helps us to repent?

14. Write out Proverbs 28:13.

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Questions from Week 3.

15. When we repent, what do we call the change the Holy Spirit makes in us so we can live a new life?
16. What does the Holy Spirit use to wash away our sin and make us to be born again?

17. What new kind of life does a person have after he is born again?

18. Write three things which show that a person has been born again.

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3)

19. How can we be sure that we are born again? Answer by writing Romans 8:16.

20. Write out John 3:3.

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Questions from Week 4.

21. What does it mean to give ourselves to God?

22. Why should we want to give ourselves to God?

23. What must we give to God?

What does God want to do through our bodies?

24. What three things should we give to God besides our body and our will?

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25. What is the most important thing we must give to God?
26. How should we treat the things we have given to God?
  
27. Write out 1 Corinthians 6:19 and 20.

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